

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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Application No.: 09/994,921

Filing Date: November 28, 2001

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
ADAPTIVE BROADCAST RADAR SYSTEM

Group Art Unit: 2821

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

Box: Missing Parts

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

This is in response to the Notice to Filing Missing Parts, dated December 10, 2001, in the above-identified application.

1. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney

☒ Enclosed with an attached specification and drawings reviewed by the inventor upon execution. The attached specification and drawings attached to the enclosed Declaration for Patent Application is intended to reflect the minor changes reflected in the Preliminary Amendment filed concurrently herewith. This application was filed without an executed Declaration. No new matter is added.

2. Assignment

☐ An assignment of the invention to _____ and a PTO Form-1595, Recordation Form Cover Sheet, are enclosed.

☒ An assignment will be filed at a later date.

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3. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. § 1.16)

CLAIMS FOR FEE CALCULATION				
	Number Filed	Number Extra	at Rate of	Basic Fee Utility \$740.00 Design \$330.00
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(c))	46 - 20 =	26	\$ 18.00 each=	+\$ 468.00
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(b))	6 - 3 =	3	\$ 84.00 each=	+ \$ 252.00
Multiple dependent claim(s), if any (37 C.F.R. §1.16(d))			\$ 280.00	+
SUB-TOTAL =				\$
Surcharge under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e)			\$ 130.00	\$130.00
Reduction by 1/2 for filing by a small entity				-\$
TOTAL FILING FEE =				\$ 1,590.00

4. ☒ Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a), for the total number of months checked below:

Total Months Requested	Fee for Extension	Fee for Small Entity
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 400.00	\$ 200.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$ 920.00	\$ 460.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,440.00	\$ 720.00
<input type="checkbox"/> five months	\$1,960.00	\$ 980.00

Extension of time fee due with this request: \$110.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a Petition therefor.

5. Fee Payment



Enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$1,700.00 is enclosed for the filing fee including the \$130.00 surcharge as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.16(e) and the \$110.00 filing fee for the petition for one month extension of time.



If an Assignment is being filed as noted in paragraph 2 above, a separate check in the amount of \$40.00 is enclosed.



Authorization is given to charge \$ _____ to Deposit Account 50-1349 for the fees due as specified above.

6.



Except for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1349. This paragraph is intended to be a **CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3)

7. Other



Information Disclosure Statement



PTO-1449, __ documents as listed



Preliminary Amendment – including eight drawing sheets with appropriate margins and an abstract, as required by the Notice to File Missing Parts.



Claim for Priority



Certified copy of Priority Document



Sequence Listing



Abstract (1 page)

If there are any questions regarding the above-captioned patent application, please contact applicant's representative at the number given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$720.
 - **\$468** for **26** total claims over 20.
 - **\$252** for **3** independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 1590.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.


The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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- An abstract was not provided for this application. An abstract of the technical disclosure is required under 37 CFR 1.72(b).

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.



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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

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